

Veterans Service Office

Veterans Service Office of Sonoma County:

6225 State Farm Drive, Suite 101, Rohnert Park CA (707) 586-3295

Veterans Service Office of Napa County:

900 Combs Street, Suite 257 Napa CA 94559 (707) 253-4558

Veterans Service Office of Solano County:

675 Texas Street, Suite 4700, Fairfield, CA 94533 (707) 784-6590

California Employment Development Department

Veterans Services, Job Postings, DMV Printouts, Case Management and other resources for veterans seeking employment.

SANTA ROSA: 2245 Challenger Way, Suite. 104, Santa Rosa, CA 95407
(707) 565-5564

VALLEJO: 1440 Marin Street Vallejo, CA 94589
(707) 648-4023

Other Organizations

Disabled American Veterans Chapter 21:

Veterans Memorial Building, 444 Alabama St., Vallejo
(707) 557-5289 (Meets every fourth Saturday of the month at 10 a.m.)

Fleet Reserve Branch 8:

America Legion hall, 420 Admiral Callahan Lane, Vallejo
(707) 642-0256 (Meets every second Wednesday of the month at 7 p.m.)

Disabled American Veterans Chapter 48:

Santa Rosa Memorial Building,
1351 Maple Avenue, Santa Rosa
(707) 544-5303 (Meets every third Friday of the month at 6:30 p.m.)

Vietnam Veterans of America Redwood Empire Chapter 223:

Santa Rosa Memorial Building at 1351 Maple Avenue, Santa Rosa
(707) 526-4218 (Meets every third Tuesday of the month at 7 p.m.)

Veterans Homes of California:

180 California Drive, Yountville, CA 94599-1421
(707) 944-4601

Web Sites

Vietnam Veterans Home Page: www.vietvet.org

This homepage provides an interactive, online forum for Vietnam veterans and their families and friends to exchange information, stories, poems, songs, art, pictures and experiences in any publishable form.

Sergeant Mom's Veterans and Retirees Links: www.sgtmoms.com

Sgt. Mom's is owned and maintained by an Army wife and stay-at-home mother of three. It is a casual, friendly, useful and informative place for military families to search the web.

Vets.Com Magazine: <http://vets.com>

Vets.Com is the veterans' internet guide. It is America's number one source for veteran information.

Center for Women Veterans: www.va.gov/womenvet/index.htm

The mission of the Center for Women Veterans is to ensure that women veterans receive the same benefits and services as male veterans, encounter no discrimination in their attempt to access these services, and are treated with respect and dignity by VA service providers. The center also acts as the primary advisor to the Secretary of Veterans Affairs on all matters related to programs, issues and initiatives for and affecting women veterans.

Gulf War Veterans Resource Pages: www.gulfwar.org

The Gulf War Veterans' Resource Pages provide news of interest to Gulf War veterans, advice to organizations supporting these veterans, and information and links designed to help veterans cope with Gulf War Syndrome. In addition, they maintain links to sites offering support to veterans of other eras.

The American War Library: members.aol.com/veterans

The Library is accessible 24 hours a day from any modem worldwide. Included on the library are thousands of pages of data, statistics, documentation and files on all of America's military missions.

Los Angeles Vietnam Veterans Alliance, Inc.: www.namvets.org

P.O. Box 523, Agoura Hills, CA 91376-053
The Los Angeles Vietnam Veterans Alliance, Inc. (LAVVA) was founded in 1990 to create a positive image for Vietnam War veterans by being an informative source of their accomplishments and needs. LAVVA is a nonprofit corporation.

Veterans

BENEFITS AND SERVICES





Noreen Evans

ASSEMBLYMEMBER, 7TH DISTRICT

Dear Friend:

Over three million veterans live in the state of California. This represents the largest veteran population in America. I feel strongly that providing assistance to these veterans and their families is the very least we can do to try and repay them for their dedicated service. We must continue to recognize and reward their sacrifices.

There are many organizations, agencies, and websites devoted to informing and assisting these patriots. I hope that this brochure will serve as a guide to the opportunities available to them.

My staff and I are always on hand to serve our constituents in any of their concerns. Please write, call, or visit us if we can be of any assistance.

Sincerely,

NOREEN EVANS

Assemblymember, 7th District



United States Department of Veterans Affairs (USDVA)

The USDVA provides education and vocational rehabilitation benefits, home loans, service-connected disability compensation, medical and dental care, burial benefits, readjustment counseling and life insurance.

Regional Office: 1301 Clay Street, Rm. 1300 North Oakland, CA 94612
(800) 827-1000 (Nearest Regional facility)

Medical Facilities: 3315 Chanate Road Santa Rosa, CA 95404
(707) 570-3855 or (707) 570-3800

Veterans Affairs Mare Island Outpatient Clinic: 201 Walnut Avenue, Mare Island, CA 94592 (707) 562-8200

Veterans and dependents may be eligible for benefits administered by the Department of Veterans Affairs. The district office staff assists with obtaining these benefits through the process of application and representation of claims.

California Department of Veterans Affairs (Cal Vet)

Main Office: 1227 O Street, Room 300, Sacramento, CA 95814
(800) 952-LOAN www.ns.net/cadva/

Cal Vet Home Loans: 1227 O Street, Room 200, P.O. Box 942895, Sacramento, CA 94295-0001 (800) 952-LOAN

Memorial Commission: 1227 O Street, Room 101, Sacramento, CA 95814
(800) 808-2862

License Plates: 1227 O Street, Sacramento, CA 95814 (916) 653-2213
(800) 952-5626 www.ns.net/cadva/licenses.htm

College Fees Waiver: 1227 O Street, Room 101, Sacramento, CA 95814
(916) 653-2573 (800) 952-LOAN

Benefits for Women Veterans: 1227 O Street, Room 300, Sacramento, CA 95814 (916) 653-2551 (800) 952-LOAN

Veterans Organizations

Elks Club

The Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks considers its contributions to the Armed Forces and our country's veterans as one of its proudest achievements.

Napa Lodge # 832: 2840 Soscol Avenue, Napa, CA
(707) 255-4522 (Meets every first and third Wednesday of the month)

Vallejo Lodge # 559: 2850 Redwood Parkway, Vallejo CA
(707) 642-1620 (Meets every first and third Wednesday of the month at 8 p.m.)

American Legion

The American Legion, chartered in 1919 by the United States Congress, is a patriotic, community service veterans' organization with 3 million members, including men and women, in nearly 16,000 posts worldwide.

Saint Helena Post 199:
1991 Madrona Street, Saint Helena, CA
(707) 967-9344
(Meets every second Wednesday of the month)

Santa Rosa Post 21:
1351 Maple Avenue, Santa Rosa, CA (707) 522-9350
(Meets every first Wednesday of the month at 8 p.m.)

Napa Post 113:
1240 Pearl Street, Napa, CA (707) 252-1315
(Meets every first Wednesday of the month)

Vallejo Post 550:
420 Admiral Callahan Lane, Vallejo, CA
(707) 644-3097 (Meets every first and third Wednesday of the month at 7:30 p.m.)

Vallejo Post 603:
444 Alabama Street, Vallejo, CA
(707) 649-9709
(Meets every second Friday of the month at 1 p.m.)

Veterans of Foreign War

The eligibility qualifications are the fundamental difference between this and other veterans' organizations. There are three requirements for membership in the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States: (1) citizenship; (2) honorable service in the armed services; and (3) service entitling the applicant to the award of a recognized campaign medal or as set forth in the Congressional Charter and/or By-Laws.

Veterans of Foreign War Post 1123:
431 Georgia Street, Vallejo, CA
(707) 643-7074 (Meets every first and third Monday of the month at 7:30 p.m.)

Veterans of Foreign War Post 9472:
1500 Jefferson Street, Napa, CA
(707) 252-0701 (Meets every Friday of the month. Dinner at 6:30, meeting at 7:30 p.m.)

District Offices: 50 "D" Street, Suite 301 • Santa Rosa, California 95404 • (707) 546-4500 • Fax: (707) 546-9031
640 Tuolumne Street, Suite B • Vallejo, California 94590 • (707) 649-2307 • Fax: (707) 649-2311
1040 Main Street, Suite 110E • Napa, CA 94559-2605 • (707) 258-8007 • Fax: (707) 258-8205

Capitol Office: P.O. Box 942849 • Sacramento, California 94249-0007 • (916) 319-2007 • Fax: (916) 319-2107

E-mail: assemblymember.evans@assembly.ca.gov

Website: <http://democrats.assembly.ca.gov/members/a07/default.htm> **Assembly Website:** www.assembly.ca.gov